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SUBJECT: W/W REPPAS

REF: (A) TANANARIVE 0603;(B) TANANARIVE 0597;

(C) TANANARIVE 0611

1. HAVE PASSED MESSAGE REF (C) TO JEFFRIES.
2. CONCUR IN YOUR RECOMMENDATION REF (B) PARA 2. WE HAVE INFORMED JEFFRIES WE WILL NO LONGER PASS MESSAGES CONCERNING EXTRALEGAL EFFORTS TO OBTAIN REPPAS' RELEASE ALTHOUGH WE WILL CONTINUE TO PASS OTHER MESSAGES WHEN APPROPRIATE. CONCUR THAT YOU INFORM REPPAS AS WELL.
3. BURGEAT, AFTER CALLING LEBEL, TOLD JEFFRIES THAT MINISTER OF JUSTICE HAD TOLD LEBEL THAT HE FAVORED PARDON ON INDEPENDENCE DAY AND WOULD SO RECOMMEND TO GENERAL RAMANANTSOA. REF (A) PARAGRAPH 4 GIVES NO INDICATION THAT MINISTER OF JUSTICE TOLD LEBEL HE WAS PLANNING TO RECOMMEND PARDON FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY. WE PRESUME BURGEAT HAS AGAIN TWISTED FACTS, BUT WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION FROM YOU THAT THIS IS THE CASE. RUSH

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